Inter-State Seniority List of Gazetted and Non-Gazetted Officers.

*Q.—99. Sri G. B. SHANKAR RAO (Hirekerur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether they have finalised the Inter-State Seniority list of gazetted and non-gazetted offcers of the State;

(*b*) if not, how long will it take for them to finalise the same?

A.—Sri B. D. JATTI (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) Government has taken a decision on the general principles for equation of posts and seniority. The finalised lists are being prepared in the light of the decision in the case of Gazetted Officers. Some have been published and the rest are under process of being finalished before publication.

(*b*) The finalised list in respect of all the Departments is expected to be completed by a date, very early in 1960.

Production and consumption of Sugar in the State.

*Q.—101. Sri G. B. SHANKAR RAO (Hirekerur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the total quantity of sugar produced every year in the State;

(*b*) the total quantity consumed annually in the State?

A.—Sri K. F. PATIL (Minister for Forest and Transport).—

(*a*) Varies from year to year. Estimated production for 1959-60 is 89,300 tons:

		Tons
(*b*) 1956-57	...	81,000
1957-58	...	88,000

Powers of the Deputy Ministers.

*Q.—106. Sri M. RAMAPPA (Haribar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the powers of the various Deputy Ministers in their respective portfolios as defined by Government;

(*b*) why they are not given Government cars;

(*c*) whether any restriction is placed on their tours regarding days and mileage?

A.—Sri B. D. JATTI (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) In accordance with instruction 3 of the Mysore Government Secretariat Instructions, a Deputy Minister may pass orders in a case pertaining to subjects which have been allocated to him, except in the following cases:—

(i) Cases which under the Mysore Government Rules of Business are to be laid before the Council;

(ii) Cases which, under the Mysore Government Secretariat Instructions, have to be submitted to the Chief Minister before issue of orders;

(iii) Cases of appointments and postings, transfers and disciplinary matters in respect of officers requiring the orders of Government; and

(iv) Cases which the Minister-in-charge may, by special or general orders, direct to be brought to his notice before issue of orders.

(*b*) Deputy Ministers are not provided cars in the same manner as Ministers.

(*c*) No.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE.

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue [on behalf of SRI T. SUBRAMANYA (Minister for Law, Labour and Local Self-Government)].—I beg to lay on the Table.

The Mysore Village Panchayats (Reservation of seats for the representatives of Scheduled Castes and Women) Rules, 1959 (Notification No. LLH 1 RPA 59, dated 14th October 1959) issued under section 210 read with sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 5 of the Mysore Village Panchayats and Local Boards Act, 1959.